



GL6-N4212

G6

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
GL6-N4212	1063491

Included in delivery: P250 (1), BEF-W100-A (1)
Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/G6

Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle		Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Functional principle detail		With minimum distance to reflector (dual lens system)
Sensing range max.		0.03 m ... 6 m ¹⁾
Sensing range		0.07 m ... 5 m ¹⁾
Polarisation filters		Yes
Emitted beam		
	Light source	PinPoint LED ²⁾
	Type of light	Visible red light
	Light spot size (distance)	Ø 8 mm (350 mm)
Key LED figures		
	Wave length	650 nm
Adjustment		Potentiometer, 270°
Items supplied		Reflector P250, Stainless steel mounting bracket (1.4301/304) BEF-W100-A

¹⁾ Reflector PL80A.
²⁾ Average service life: 100,000 h at T_U = +25 °C.

Electronics

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	$\pm 10\%$ ²⁾
Current consumption	30 mA ³⁾
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Type	NPN
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via light/dark selector
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	$V_S - (\leq 3\text{ V}) / \text{approx. } 0\text{ V}$
Output current $I_{\max}$	$\leq 100\text{ mA}$ ⁴⁾
Response time	$< 625\text{ }\mu\text{s}$ ⁵⁾
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz ⁶⁾
Circuit protection	A ⁷⁾ B ⁸⁾ D ⁹⁾

¹⁾ Limit values when operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.

²⁾ May not fall below or exceed U_V tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ At $U_V > 24\text{ V}$, $I_A \text{ max.} = 50\text{ mA}$.

⁵⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁶⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁷⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁹⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

Mechanics

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 31.5 mm x 21 mm
Connection	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Material	
Housing	Plastic, ABS/PC
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Weight	20 g

Ambient data

Enclosure rating	IP67
Ambient operating temperature	$-25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \dots +55\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ¹⁾
Ambient temperature, storage	$-40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \dots +70\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
UL File No.	NRKH.E348498 & NRKH7.E348498

¹⁾ Temperature stability following adjustment $\pm 10\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Certificates

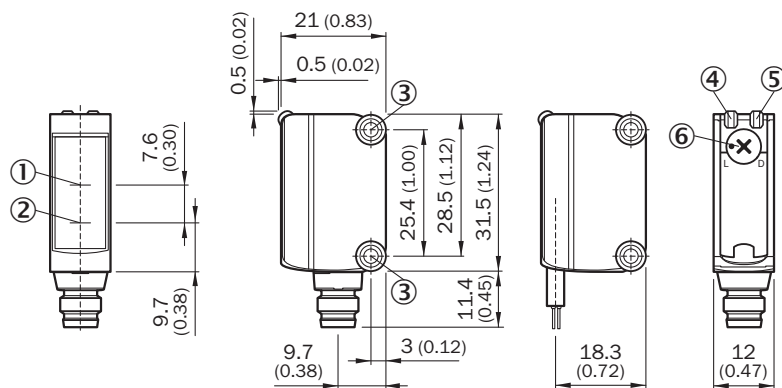
EU declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓

Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China-RoHS	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate	✓

Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270902
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270902
ECLASS 6.0	27270902
ECLASS 6.2	27270902
ECLASS 7.0	27270902
ECLASS 8.0	27270902
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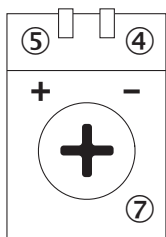
Dimensional drawing



Dimensions in mm (inch)

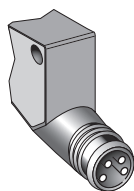
- ① Optical axis, receiver
- ② Optical axis, sender
- ③ Mounting holes M3
- ④ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
- ⑤ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
- ⑥ Light/ dark rotary switch: L = light switching, D = dark switching

Adjustments Adjustment possibility

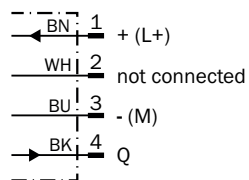


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- ⑦ Sensitivity control: potentiometer

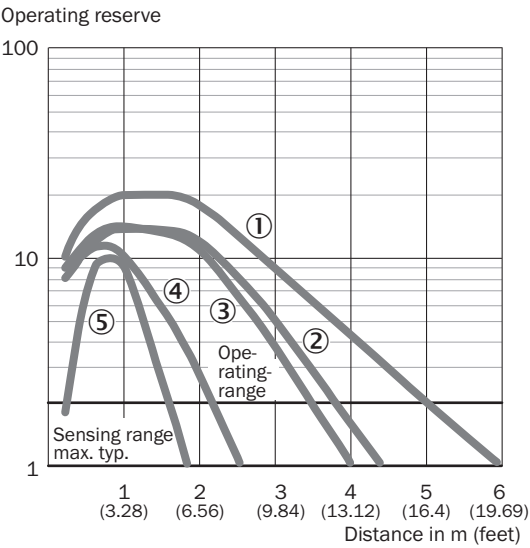
Connection type



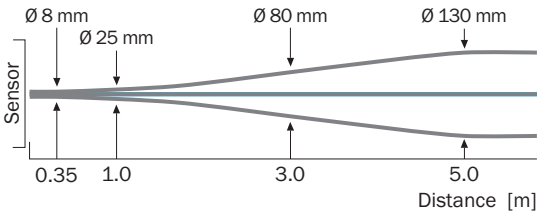
Connection diagram Cd-066



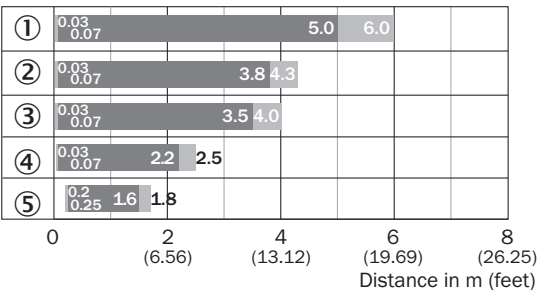
Characteristic curve GL6



Light spot size GL6, GL6G



Sensing range diagram GL6, GL6G



■ Sensing range ■ Sensing range max.

- ① Reflector PL80A
② Reflector PL40A
③ Reflector P250
④ Reflector PL20A
⑤ Reflective tape REF-IRF-56

Recommended accessories

Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/G6

	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	Description: Clamp bar to fix G6 sensors on rods of 12 mm, clamp-on design up to 4 mm wall thickness Material: Steel Details: Aluminum (clamp bar), stainless steel (bracket) Items supplied: Clamp bar mounting and clamp function, mounting bracket, mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-IS12G6	2086865
	Material: Stainless steel Details: Stainless steel (1.4301) Suitable for: W4S	BEF-WN-G6	2062909
	Description: Universal mounting bracket for reflectors Dimensions (W x H x L): 85 mm x 90 mm x 35 mm Material: Steel Details: Steel, zinc coated Suitable for: C110A, P250, PL20, PL30A, PL40A, PL80A	BEF-WN-REFX	2064574
reflectors and optics			
	Description: Rectangular, screw connection Dimensions: 51 mm 61 mm Ambient operating temperature: -30 °C ... +65 °C	P250	5304812
connectors and cables			
	Connection type head A: Male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Description: Unshielded Connection systems: Screw-type terminals Permitted cross-section: 0.14 mm² ... 0.5 mm²	STE-0804-G	6037323
	Connection type head A: Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Connection type head B: Flying leads Signal type: Sensor/actuator cable Cable: 5 m, 4-wire, PVC Description: Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded Application: Zones with chemicals, Uncontaminated zones	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889

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